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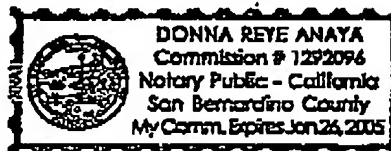
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SCHEDULE A

Patents and Patent Applications

Issued Patents:

Calimetrics Original Issued US Patents (17)

Patent No.	Title	Inventors	Filing Date	Issue Date
5,818,806	Method and Apparatus for Providing Equalization for the Reading of Marks on Optical Data Storage Media	Wong, Spielman	5/6/1997	10/6/1998
5,854,779	Optical Disc Reader for Reading Multiple Levels of Pits on an Optical Disc	Johnson, B; McDermott; O'Neill; Pietrzyk; Spielman; Wong	1/5/1996	12/29/1998
6,115,348	Information Storage Systems Utilizing Media With Optically Differentiated Data Sites	Guerra	12/24/1997	9/5/2000
6,148,428	Method and Apparatus for Modulation Encoding Data for Storage on a Multi-Level Optical Recording Medium	Welch; Wong; McLaughlin	5/21/1998	11/14/2000
6,249,507	Information Storage Systems Utilizing Media With Optically Differentiated Data Sites	Guerra	8/15/2000	8/19/2001
6,269,060	Programmable Write Signal Generator	Harvey; Swuito	9/8/1999	7/31/2001
6,275,458	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing A Multi-Level Signal from an Optical Disc	Wong; Spielman; Lee; Martin	2/18/1999	8/14/2001
6,377,529	Method for Providing Improved Equalization for the Reading of Marks on Optical Data-Storage Media	Lee; Ling; Lo; McLaughlin	6/1/2000	4/23/2002
6,381,724	Method and Apparatus for Modulation Encoding Data for Storage on a Multi-Level Optical Recording Medium	Welch; Wong; McLaughlin	8/22/2000	4/30/2002
6,385,255	Coding system and Method for Partial Response Channels	McLaughlin; Lee; Zingman; Fan	8/6/1999	5/7/2002
6,396,789	Data Storage System and Methods Using Diffractive Near-Field Optics	Guerra; Kendra	2/27/1998	5/28/2002
6,504,807	Programmable Write Signal Generator	Harvey; Swuito	6/7/2001	1/7/2003
6,604,219	DC Control of a Multilevel Signal	Lee, Fan, Lo	2/2/2000	8/5/2003
6,608,807	Generating a Multilevel Calibration Sequence for Precompensation	Lee	2/2/2000	8/19/2003
10/302,761	Programmable Write Signal Generator (allowed)	Harvey; Swuito	11/22/2002	
09/910,464	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing A Multi-Level Signal from an Optical Disc (allowed)	Wong; Fan; Lee; Ling, Lo; McLaughlin; McPheters; Martin; Powelson; Spielman; Warland; Zingman	7/19/2002	
09/746,748	Optical Disk Initialization Method and Apparatus (allowed)	Guerra; Vezenov	12/22/2000	

Acquired Issued US Patents (20)

Patent No.	Title	Inventors	Filing Date	Issue Date
5,113,387	THREE LASER OPTICAL DISK DRIVE SYSTEM	Goldsmith, Ziegler	12/12/1989	5/12/1992
5,128,849	OPTICAL DISK STRUCTURES FOR ELECTRON TRAPPING OPTICAL MEMORY MEDIA	Podraczky, Ziegler	12/12/1989	7/7/1992
5,195,082	OPTICAL DISK STRUCTURES FOR ELECTRON TRAPPING OPTICAL MEMORY MEDIA	Revay, Brower, Espin	4/22/1992	3/16/1993
5,537,382	PARTIAL RESPONSE CODING FOR A MULTI-LEVEL OPTICAL RECORDING CHANNEL	McLaughlin, Calderbank, Laroia, Gorpheide	11/22/1994	
5,657,014	M=7(3,7) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	8/12/1997
5,659,310	M=5(0,2) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	8/19/1997
5,659,311	M=6(2,4) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	8/19/1997
5,683,722	M=10(3,6) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	9/2/1997
5,683,723	M=7(1,3) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	9/2/1997
5,688,548	M=6(3,6) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	9/18/1997
5,670,956	M=5(3,7) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	9/23/1997
5,675,330	M=5(4,11) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	10/7/1997
5,680,128	M=6(3,8) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	10/21/1997
5,682,154	M=4(1,2) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	10/28/1997
5,682,155	M=8(4,11) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	10/28/1997
5,748,117	M=8(1,3) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	5/5/1998
5,748,118	M=7(3,8) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	5/5/1998
5,757,293	M=8(1,2) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	5/28/1998
5,781,130	M-ARY (D,Q) RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODING FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	5/12/1995	7/14/1998
6,150,964	M=10(2,10), D=3.75 RUNLENGTH LIMITED CODE FOR MULTI-LEVEL DATA	McLaughlin	8/20/1997	11/21/2000

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Patent No.	Country	Title	Inventors	Filing Date	Issue Date
707392	Australia	Apparatus and Methods for Forming and Use with Variable Pit Depth Optical Recording Media	Wong, Spielman	3/24/1997	8/7/1999 (acceptance to be advertised)
2,249,403	Canada	Apparatus and Methods for Forming and Use with Variable Pit Depth Optical Recording Media	Wong, Spielman	3/24/1997	1/9/2001

Pending Patent Applications:

Calimetrics Original US Patents Pending (14)

Serial No.	Title	Inventors	Filing Date
09/373,918	High Density Data Write Strategy	O'Neill; Wong; Balasubrama; Bashaw; Learnmonth; McDermott; Narayan; Powelson; Warland; Zhou	8/12/1999
09/476,395	Method and Format for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc System	Wong; Lewis; Lee; Ling; Pope; Spielman; Zingman	9/18/2003
09/496,898	Write Compensation for a Multi-Level Data Storage System	Powelson; Warland	2/2/2000
10/171,394	Advanced High Density Data Write Strategy	Balasubramanian; Hiestmaier; Narayan; Powelson; Stinebaugh; Warland; Zhou	8/12/2002
09/828,311	Digital Automatic Gain Control of a Multilevel Optical Disc Read Signal	Lo; Lee; Powelson; Spielman	4/8/2001
09/872,488	Synchronization in Multilevel Optical Data Storage	Lee; Spielman; Zingman; Lewis	5/31/2001
10/012,257	Write Compensation for Data Storage and Communication System	Powelson; Warland; Harvey; Lo; Pepin; Spielman; Zhou; Zingman; Lee	11/8/2001
09/823,852	High Density Analog Recording	Miyagawa; Mansuripur	3/29/2001
09/842,214	Method of Fabricating Sub-Micron Hemispherical and Hemicylindrical Structures from Non-Spherically Shaped Templates	Vezenov; Guerra; Wan; Sullivan	4/25/2001
09/842,098	Optical Storage Medium with Virtual Track Pitch	Vezenov; Guerra; Wan; Sullivan; Nelson	4/25/2001
10/057,774	Advanced Forward Error Correction	McLaughlin; Thangaraj	1/22/2002
10/387,232	Secure Data Storage	Wong; Harvey; Lee; Lewis; Spielman; Tan; Warland	3/11/2003
10/455,756	DC Control of a Multilevel Signal	Lee; Fan; Lo	8/5/2003
10/608,890	Generating a Multilevel Calibration Sequence for Precompensation	Lee	6/26/2003

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97917035.4	Europe	Apparatus and Methods for Forming and Use with Variable Pit Depth Optical Recording Media	Wong and Spielman	3/24/97
33584/00	Australia	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc	Wong; Fan; Lee, Ling, Lo, McLaughlin; McPheters, Martin, Powelson; Spielman; Warland, Zingman	2/8/2000
2,356,858	Canada	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc	Wong; Fan; Lee, Ling, Lo, McLaughlin; McPheters, Martin, Powelson; Spielman; Warland, Zingman	2/8/2000
911733.4	Europe	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc	Wong; Fan; Lee, Ling, Lo, McLaughlin; McPheters, Martin, Powelson; Spielman; Warland, Zingman	2/8/2000
2000-600,284	Japan	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc	Wong; Fan; Lee, Ling, Lo, McLaughlin; McPheters, Martin, Powelson; Spielman; Warland, Zingman	8/10/2001
10-2001-7010512	Korea	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc	Wong; Fan; Lee, Ling, Lo, McLaughlin; McPheters, Martin, Powelson; Spielman; Warland, Zingman	8/18/2001
200104098-9	Singapore	Method and Apparatus for Reading and Writing in a Multilevel Optical Disc	Wong; Fan; Lee, Ling, Lo, McLaughlin; McPheters, Martin, Powelson; Spielman; Warland, Zingman	2/8/2000



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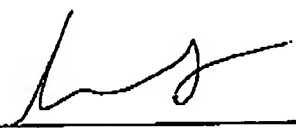
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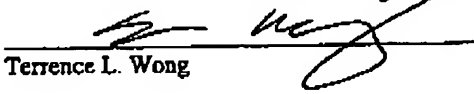
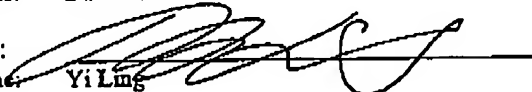
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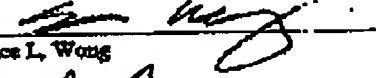
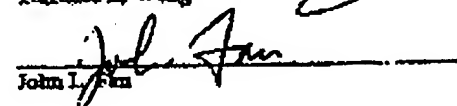
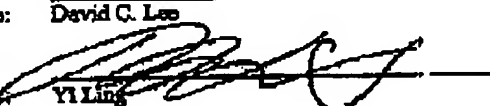
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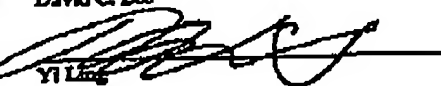
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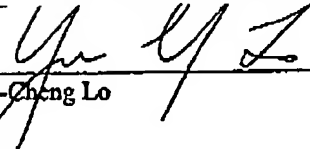

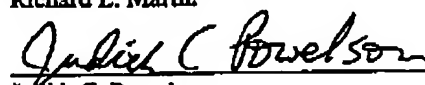


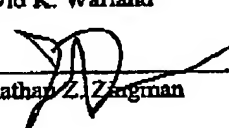
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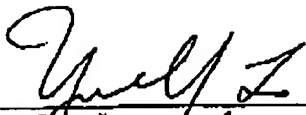
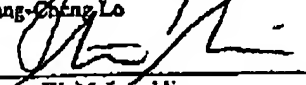
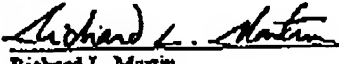

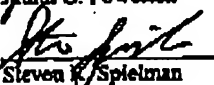
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